

2024/2025 LCAP Questions for the Superintendent

Responses to 2024/2025 LCAP Draft Questions for Superintendent

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1.	The schools will receive the same amount of budget and the same of quantity quality and types of art programs. For example: a school that has more Mexicans students and a school that has more Hmong students, are going to receive the same folkloric dance such Mexican dance?	Schools receive VAPA (arts) program services based on the number of students enrolled at each site. The specifics of the art classes are determined by the VAPA department based on a comprehensive needs assessment and standards. Additional programs and opportunities after school are funded through Expanded Learning and are based on staff and student interests, community input, and the needs of the site that are reviewed annually and throughout the school year. Demographics of the school are part of the needs assessment as well as many other data points and the input from the community and staff.
2.	The art and sport classes are going to be part of the school curriculum during school hours or those are going to be in after school hours	Visual and Performing Arts are part of every site and every school day. These programs are included in the LCAP and are enhanced with the new Prop 28 funding. Sports during the school day would be covered during PE which is also at every school site. For sports teams and additional arts clubs and opportunities, a robust Expanded Learning program offers many options on and off site before and after school (and on non-school days). The specific offerings at each site are determined by a comprehensive needs assessment and community and staff input.